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## **PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

**August 20, 2014 at 4:00 P.M.  
LITCHFIELD COMMUNITY SCHOOL  
210 Williams St., Litchfield, MI 49252**

**The State Boundary Commission will conduct a Public Hearing  
on the Proposed Annexation of Land in  
Litchfield Township to the City of Litchfield  
Docket #14-AR-1 –Hillsdale County**

The area proposed for annexation is generally described as:

**LITCHFIELD GREENS GOLF COURSE  
SOUTHWEST CORNER OF MOSHERVILLE AND HOMER (M-99) ROADS  
SECTION 9, T5S-R4W**

This public hearing will give the public and interested parties an opportunity to contribute information and testimony on the proposed annexation based upon the following criteria:

Population; population density; land area and land uses; assessed valuation; topography, natural boundaries and drainage basins; the past and probable future urban growth, including population increase and business, commercial and industrial development in the area, need for organized community services; present cost and adequacy of governmental services; probable future needs for services; practicability of supplying such services; probable effect of alternative courses of action on the cost and adequacy of services, probable increase in taxes in relation to the benefits expected to accrue; and financial ability of the municipality to maintain urban type services.

The purpose of this hearing is for the Commission to receive comments from the public and interested parties. No vote will be taken or decisions made by the Commission at this hearing. After considering the entire record of proceedings on this docket, the Commission will make a recommendation at an adjudicative meeting on whether to approve or deny the petition proposing annexation.

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Oral comments may be presented in person at this hearing on **August 20, 2014**.

The following groups are allotted 10 minutes for initial presentations and 5 minutes for rebuttals: City of Litchfield and Litchfield Township. Members of the general public may take 3 minutes for comment.

Following the public hearing, written comments may be **submitted by mail, facsimile or email**. **All correspondence must be identified by Docket #14-AR-1.** Written comments submitted by U.S. mail must be either **received or postmarked no later than September 19, 2014**. Comments submitted via facsimile or e-mail must be **received no later than 5:00 p.m., September 19, 2014**. All correspondence must be sent to one of the following:

State Boundary Commission  
Office of Land Survey and Remonumentation  
P.O. Box 30254  
Lansing, MI 48909  
Fax: (517) 241-6301  
obrienk@michigan.gov

**NOTE:** The meeting site is accessible and includes handicapped parking. Persons with disabilities requiring additional accommodation in order to participate in the meeting should contact the State Boundary Commission Office at (517) 241-6321 or e-mail obrienk@michigan.gov at least ten business days in advance. Please make sure all cell phones, pagers, and other personal electronic devices are either turned off or set to vibrate at the public hearing. In order to enhance accessibility for everyone, individuals attending the meeting are requested to refrain from wearing heavily scented personal care products.